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Disposal of Waste Thorium Metal

Re: Historical Summary and Inventory of Thorium Metal as of
December 31, 1946, dated January 24, 1947, to W. P. Leber
from J. H. Lum.

The reference letter indicates that about 787 pounds of thorium metal was run to the "metal waste tanks". I believe this is in error since this thorium metal was disposed of through the "chemical waste tanks" which in turn empty into the White Oak Creek. No recovery would therefore be possible. The error was undoubtedly due to lack of information concerning the tank farm disposal system.

We would be interested in knowing just where future thorium wastes might be stored if they are to be retained on the plant area.

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